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COL. JONES WITHDRAWS.

CAPT. S. B. ALEXANDER WILL HAVE NO OPPOSITION AT HOME.

Col. Jones Gives it at His Opinion that The Method of the Alliance Tend to Disrupt the Party.

(Charlotte Chronicle.)
CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 10.
TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF MECKLENBURG COUNTY:

The result of the Democratic primaries in other counties in this Congressional district, has already designated Capt. S. B. Alexander as the nominee of the party. Under the circumstances, to prolong the contest in this county, would be attended with no possible benefit to me, or to the party, I therefore withdraw the nomination of my candidacy. Capt. Alexander submits his claims to a party convention, and as its nominee, he is entitled to our support, and mine he shall have, cheerfully and ungrudgingly.

In the brief campaign in which I have been engaged, my controversy, has been not with Capt. Alexander personally, but with the political methods of the leaders of the Farmers' Alliance. In regard to them, I repeat here what I have said everywhere that they tend to the manifest disruption of the Democratic party. To classify and array the white people of the State, according to occupation, and to claim supremacy for any one class to the exclusion of the others, is disruption itself, so obvious that he who does not see it is either blind or thoroughly heedless.

I thank those of my fellow citizens who have kindly tendered me their support, and beg them to remember that what I have said in this connection is not intended to incite them to resentment. The consequences to the State are altogether too serious to admit of any hasty or intemperate action or speech. If evil comes, we will see to it that it is not charged to us. We will be faithful to the party, and humbly trust that the same good sense and sturdy patriotism which, under God, has carried our party safely through so many dangers, will avert, too, this latest and greatest of them all.

Respectfully, H. C. JONES.

RICHMOND CO. CONVENTION.

The Alliance Men Regret the Criticism of the Progressive Farmer—Solid for Alexander—Everybody for Vance.

(Special Cor. of STATE CHRONICLE.)
LAURENCE, N. C., July 9.—The Democratic convention of Richmond county met to day and was large and harmonious.

A solid delegation for Alexander was sent to the Congressional Convention. The sentiment was so strong for that staunch advocate of the people's rights that opposition thereto was as a straw against the wind. The Hon. J. T. LeGrand entertained the convention, at its opening, in a thirty minutes speech, giving an account of his stewardship, and recognizing the "ozone in the atmosphere" very sensibly withdrew from the contest for a place, very dear to his heart, pledging his support to Alexander.

To the judicial convention the delegation stands about 8 for McKee and 28 for McIver.

Believing in minority representation, the delegates were selected by townships and will have their individual votes. They were a unit however for Solicitor, and were instructed to vote for our countryman the present incumbent, Frank McNeill for reelection.

The convention was composed largely of farmers, in and out of the Alliance, and it was gratifying that an Alliance farmer introduced a resolution strongly endorsing Zab Vance's course in Congress, which was warmly supported and adopted by a rising vote.

All regret the untimely criticism of the Progressive Farmer of this week on the letter of Vance to Elias Carr, and its avowed purpose to defeat the reelection of this greatest North Carolinian THIS YEAR.

A resolution of thanks to Hon. J. T. LeGrand, for his past services, was also adopted, and the convention adjourned in the best of spirits.

Afterwards the Township Executive Committees met and re-elected Douglass Stewart chairman of the County Executive Committee for the next two years.

Yours, &c.,

W. H. McLaurin.

Congressional Convention in Eighth District.

(Special to STATE CHRONICLE.)

LENOIR, N. C., July 11.—The Congressional Convention of the Eighth District will meet in Lenoir Thursday, August 28th.

W. W. Scott, Jr., Chairman.

WAS HE LYNCHED?

The Scoundrel Deserved to be Legally Hung.

(By United Press.)
SOCIAL CIRCLE, Ga., July 11.—Before day light on Wednesday morning Mrs. Sarah T. Williams was awakened by a negro named James Harmon, who had stolen into her room. Mrs. Williams gave an alarm and Harmon was captured. He was taken out to Spencers pond since which nothing has been seen of him. It is supposed that he was shot to death and his body sunk in the pond. Others claim that Harmon escaped alive; that he swam across the pond, where he left the water and made good his escape.

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OUR THANKS AND REGRETS.

The CHRONICLE sincerely appreciates the large number of personal letters and communications received from its friends, both in and out of the Alliance, in endorsement of its position in favor of the re-election of SENATOR VANCE.

These letters are very grateful to us, not simply because we esteem the endorsement of our course but because it shows that the sentiment of North Carolina is strongly in favor of VANCE's reelection. We have never for a moment believed that the wisdom and patriotism that has controlled our people would permit the retirement of VANCE.

We regret that we cannot write a personal letter in reply to all we have received, and take this method of reply to all who have written.

CONVENTION POSTPONED.

The CHRONICLE is requested by F. A. Woodard, Esq., Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the Second Congressional District, to announce that the convention called to meet in Wilson on the 16th, has been postponed to some date to be named hereafter. This is done at the request of the people in Halifax and Bertie, whose county conventions meet on the 14th inst., and it was feared the delegates from these counties might not be able to attend, and others in the district thought it best to have the convention at some later day.

ELIAS CARR TALKS NOBLY.

(Tarboro Southerner.)
In the language of PRESIDENT ELIAS CARR, VANCE need not feel scared.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

The Shelby Aurora thinks that W. A. Hoke, Esq., of Lincolnton, will be Judge Shipps's successor.

The Tarboro Southerner says that if Judge Phillips is re-nominated he will carry Edgecombe county.

Wilkes county Democrats endorsed Col. Cowles for Congress, and R. N. Hackett, Esq., for Solicitor.

The Statesville Landmark is indignant because Judge Womack was not re-nominated and says his defeat was "a shame."

The Monroe Enquirer says that Union is solid for J. J. Vann, Esq., as Judge Shipps's successor. "We are sure," it says, "that he is the strongest candidate now in the field."

At the Swain county convention held at Bryson City, July 7th, resolutions were adopted unanimously endorsing Chief Justice Merimon and Associate Justice Clark for nomination.

Yadkin Democrats endorsed J. H. Dobson, Esq., for Solicitor. In the Congressional Convention the vote will stand: Jno. S. Henderson 17½; A. Leazer 3½.—Statesville Landmark.

We are informed by a friend, who has recently been in the First Congressional district, that the Hon. W. P. Shaw, of Hertford county, will have a strong following in the Congressional Convention of the district.

We are informed that at the Swain County Democratic Convention, held last Monday at Bryson City, a majority of the vote of the county was directed to be cast for Hon. R. B. Vance for Congress, with Mr. Elias next highest, and Mr. Crawford the remainder. Mr. A. H. Hayes was endorsed for State Senator, and Mr. R. L. Leatherwood for Solicitor.—Asheville Democrat.

The time rapidly approaches when the Democrats of this (ninth) Congressional district will be called on to meet in convention, and name their next representative. The following gentlemen have either announced their candidacy, or will be presented by their friends: Hon. Thomas D. Johnson, Hon. Robert B. Vance, Hon. J. M. Gudger, Hon. J. H. Merrimon, of Buncombe; Hon. W. T. Crawford, of Haywood; Hon. Cope Elias, of Macon; Hon. J. W. Cooper, of Cherokee; Col. Frank Cox, of Polk.—Asheville Democrat.

The Harnett Courier declares for the nomination of Col. Wharton J. Green for Congress in the Third District, and says: "We expect to see Col. W. J. Green nominated at the Clinton convention for two reasons: 1st. Because in our opinion he is the most competent man. 2nd. Because he is the choice of the people. Having been in different counties in the last few days, we know whereof we speak, when we say that Col. Green is the choice of a large part of the people." The Carthage Blade copies the above and "heartily endorses" it.

Norris & Carter.

Ladies will do well to call and examine our black dress goods. We are closing them out at 25 to 50 per cent. less than they can be bought elsewhere.

NORRIS & CARTER.

Rates to the N. C. State Horticultural Fair at Mt. Holly, N. C.

The Richmond and Danville R. R. will sell parties attending the N. C. State Horticultural Fair at Mt. Holly, N. C., tickets to Charlotte, N. C. and return at the following rates from points named. Tickets on sale July 26 to August 1st inclusive, good returning until and including August 3rd, 1890:

From Salisbury, N. C., \$1.80; Greensboro, N. C., \$3.15; Winston-Salem, N. C., \$3.85; Durham, N. C., \$4.90; Raleigh, N. C., \$4.70; Oxford, N. C., \$4.85; Henderson, N. C., \$4.95; Selm, N. C., \$4.15; Goldsboro, N. C., \$5.05.

Rates from intermediate points in same proportion.

THE COTTON FACTORY.

\$50,000 Worth of Bonds to be Issued to Raise Capital for Extension and Operation.

The stockholders of the Raleigh cotton factory have held a vigorous business meeting, and determined upon such action as will surely start the mills to work in a short time.

The capital stock of the mills was first fixed at \$100,000. Then it became apparent that this amount would not be sufficient to put the mills in such shape as was necessary and leave a sufficiency of working capital. The directors went right ahead with the work, however, knowing that there were easy methods and means of raising all the capital that the mills might require under their management.

At this meeting, the board of directors reported \$34,000 of the capital stock had been paid in, and that it was estimated that the plant fully equipped and ready for work would cost \$120,000. It would be a factory with 6,192 spindles.

After presenting these facts the board recommended that the company issue \$50,000 of bonds at six per cent., and place them on the market for the immediate command of sufficient capital to complete the factory and to begin operations.

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THE NATIONAL CONGRESS.

DEBATE FOR FOUR HOURS AGREED UPON.

Conference Report on the Silver Bill. (By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 11.—(Senate.)—The shipping bills were taken up and Mr. Gibson addressed the Senate. Mr. Gibson argued against the proposed subsidies for ships, but in favor of moderate postal subsidies.

Mr. Coke stated some of the reasons why he opposed the bill to grant subsidies in aid of the merchant marine. The bill went over without action after an unsuccessful effort by Mr. Frye to have an agreement to vote upon them to-morrow.

After a brief executive session the Senate at 5:40 adjourned till to-morrow.

House.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Mr. Conger, of Iowa, presented the conference report on the silver bill.

Mr. Bland raised the question of consideration on which the vote was 106 to 44. This was a strict party vote except that Mr. Rogers, of Arkansas, voted in the affirmative so that he might move a reconsideration. The motion was made useless by the discovery that no quorum was present.

A call of the House was then ordered and 194 members (more than a quorum) responded.

On suggestion of Mr. Blount, of Georgia, it was agreed to debate the conference report for four hours to-morrow, the previous question to be considered as ordered at the end of that time.

At 4:25 the House took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to private pension bills.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.
Three Persons Killed and the House Set on Fire.

(By United Press.)
TROY, N. Y., July 11.—Mrs. James Williams, who resides about two miles east of Fair Haven, Vermont, murdered her two children, a girl seventeen years old and a boy six, set fire to the house, and cut her own throat. The terrible tragedy was enacted about three o'clock this morning. One other child, a boy of 15 years, who was sleeping up stairs, escaped with his life. He was awakened by the smell of smoke and going down stairs found the house full of smoke, and his mother standing in the doorway screaming for life. There was a great wound in her throat and blood streaming down her dress front. He attempted to get her out, but she was determined to go back, and only by violent efforts was he able to finally get her safely outside. She was undoubtedly insane. About two weeks ago her husband was killed in his state quarry at Hydeville, by falling from a considerable height.

HIS PARAMOUR'S LETTER
Led to the Arrest of Temple for Robbery.

(By United Press.)
FORT WORTH, Texas, July 11.—Last night Sheriff Richardson arrested Andrew Temple of this city on a charge of robbing the Pacific Express car at Crowley's last September, when four bags containing \$4,000 Mexican dollars were stolen. Last Tuesday night Mabel Wood, the paramour of Temple, committed suicide and left a letter that led to the arrest of Temple.

SENATE RULES TO BE AMENDED
Debate to be Limited on the Federal Election Law.

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 11.—At the caucus of Republican Senators last night, a committee was appointed, consisting of Senators Aldrich, Sherman and Ingalls, members of the committee on rules, and Senators Hoar, Frye, Moody and Spooner, to take under consideration the question of amending the Senate rules so as to limit debate on the federal election bill if it is taken up by the Senate. A meeting of this committee has been called for to-morrow morning.

Death of an Ex-Senator.
(By United Press.)
OWENSBORO, Ky., July 11.—Thomas B. McCreery, ex-United States Senator, died last night in the 74th year of his age. He suffered a stroke of paralysis in 1879 which was repeated on two or three occasions, and for three years past he has been perfectly helpless. His death has been expected for several days. He leaves a large estate.

Explosion of a Gas Generator.
(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 11.—Christian Eckert and his son, Chester, were killed this morning and a second son, named Frank, was seriously injured by the explosion of a gas generator. All three were engaged in the manufacture of soda water at the time.

Bismarck Interviewed.
(By United Press.)
BERLIN, July 11.—The Frankfort Journal published an interview with Prince Bismarck in which the ex-Chancellor says that had he been in office he would not have signed the Anglo-German convention in its present form.

Deaths From Small-Pox.
(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 11.—A San Antonio special to the Herald says that many deaths from small pox has occurred at Laredo, and that the epidemic is increasing.

Norris & Carter.

Ladies' cambric and muslin underwear at half value—corset covers at 12½c. Stock must be sold.

NORRIS & CARTER.

An English Syndicate to Buy All the Ham and Pork of the West.

(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 11.—A London cablegram says that a syndicate has been formed there with a capital of 400,000 pounds to acquire possession of ham and pork curing houses in Chicago and Nebraska.

Financial Condition Uncertain in Europe, South America, &c.

(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 11.—The uncertainty of the financial situation is apparent to everyone, and the condition of affairs in Europe, South America and at home was freely discussed to-day by bankers, brokers and mercantile houses.

STANLEY ILL.

It is Hoped He Will Get Well Enough to Get Married.

(By United Press.)
LONDON, July 11.—Mr. Henry M. Stanley is ill of gastritis, and is under the care of his friend and fellow-traveller, Surgeon Parke and Dr. Wm. G. Hewett. Miss Dorothy Tennant, to whom Mr. Stanley is expected to be married to-morrow, has been informed of his condition. Crowds of callers are constantly coming and going in anxious quest of information as to the sick man's condition. Dr. Parke, while declaring the illness likely to be of but temporary duration, is still fearful that it may be necessary to postpone the wedding, or at least to change the proposed programme of ceremonies.

A METHODIST PREACHER
Kills a Man Because He Was Jealous of Him.

(By United Press.)
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 11.—At Iron-dale Wednesday night Rev. D. B. Martin, a Methodist preacher, killed Samuel Walker by cutting his head open with an axe. Martin was jealous because a young woman with whom he was in love preferred Walker to him. Both were colored.

THE BRUTES AT WAR.
If They Will Kill Each Other the People Will Applaud.

(By United Press.)
NEW YORK, July 11.—The world this morning contains a long card from William Muldoon in reply to some of the recent utterances of John L. Sullivan. Muldoon refers to Sullivan as an ingrate, coward and loafer, and expresses a willingness to train Kilrain for a fight with him, and offers to bet \$2500 that Kilrain will win.

ALF. COOPER HUNG.
He Smoked a Cigarette Until he Died.

(By United Press.)
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 11.—In the jail yard at 12:45 p. m., Alf. Cooper, colored, was hanged for the murder of Jeff Googer. He confessed his guilt and said he was ready to die, and smoked a cigarette until the black cap was drawn over his face. His neck was broken by the fall.

Distressing Accident.
(By United Press.)
HAMPTON, Va., July 11.—St. John Howard, a young man employed as a clerk in Captain Cooksey's office at Newport News, roomed with a friend on the fourth floor of Hotel Warwick last night, and was found early this morning lying on the stone pavement in front of the hotel with both legs broken and injured internally. It is supposed he walked out of a window while asleep.

British Vessels to Resist American Revenue Cutters.

(By United Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—A letter received from Victoria states that the general opinion prevails there that two fleets of sailing craft have been fitted for the Behring Sea, armed and equipped to aid the British sailing vessels so resist capture by the American revenue cutters.

Politics Causes Death.
(By United Press.)
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., July 11.—Jos. Candelero shot and killed Mayor Jesus Garcia in Valencia county yesterday. Both men were prominent citizens and political rivals.

Charged With Killing an Infant.
(By United Press.)
SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 11.—Fred Curtis, a fireman on the Lackawanna railroad was arrested last night, charged with disposing of the body of an infant by throwing it in to the fire box of his locomotive.

Money and Man Missing.
(By United Press.)
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., July 11.—Samuel T. Lynch, postmaster and general merchant at Centerville, Sullivan county, is missing, and is accused of forgeries and embezzlements aggregating \$20,000 or more.

Coldest Weather on Record For This Season of the Year.

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—The signal office furnishes the following special bulletin to the press.

This morning's weather reports shows that throughout the South Atlantic and middle States from Georgia north-west to Lake Erie, and in portions of New England, last night was one of the coldest on record for this season of the year.

Norris & Carter.

Closing out gent's silk scarfs at 15c.; former price 25c. and 50c. Silk bows at 10c.; former price 25c. and 35c. Stock must be sold.

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TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES.

(By United Press.)
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HAMBURG, July 11.—The Builders strike in this city has been concluded by the defeat of the men.

Death of John Leigh Hunt.

(Special to State Chronicle.)
KITTRELL, N. C., July 11.—Died Friday, July 11th, at 6 o'clock, at his home in Kittrell, N. C., John Leigh Hunt, in the thirty-sixth year of his age. He leaves a wife and three children.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Everybody we see who attended the Greensboro Judicial convention is praising the speech of H. A. London, Esq., seconding Judge Womack's nomination. They say it was both strong and eloquent, and pleased everybody.

The many friends of Mr. John B. Sherrill, editor of the Concord Times and Secretary of the N. C. Press Association, will be glad to know that he is slowly recovering from his long illness. He is a truly knable editor and we hope to see him at Durham.

A reporter had the pleasure of shaking hands with Dr. B. F. Dixon to-day, and inquired of him whether he would accept the presidency of the Greensboro Female College. "Yes, sir," he said, "and I propose to put my whole heart and soul in the work." This means great things for the college.—Durham Globe.

One old fellow said we need four certain men in Congress from North Carolina: that whenever the Democratic party wanted to down the Republicans they called on Cowles and Vance, but whenever they wanted to measure put through for the benefit of the South they called on Ransom and Henderson.—"Bob," in Statesville Landmark.

Rev. W. B. North, Ph. D., of Chapel Hill, has been transferred to the Missouri Conference, and Rev. R. H. Whitaker, D. D. has been appointed by Bishop Hargrove to act as pastor of Chapel Hill station. His duties are to commence July 20th. Dr. Whitaker assisted in a meeting in Chapel Hill last spring and quite won the hearts of the people, and they were anxious to have him.

At the last commencement of Trinity College, Mr. D. C. Branson, nephew of Mr. W. H. Branson, graduated. The subject of his graduating thesis was, "Should the Electoral College be Continued." In New York there is the American Institute of Civics, to which all graduating theses of a political nature are sent from the various colleges and universities of the land, and it awards prizes for those possessing peculiar merit. This institute is composed of the most learned statesmen in the Union, and he is highly honored who receives recognition from it. To this institute Mr. Branson's thesis was sent, and it has seen fit to award him a prize. All honor to Mr. Branson, and to Trinity College, his alma mate.—Durham Globe.

LATE NEWS NOTES.

I. costs \$3 in Greensboro for a man to correct his wife with a bed slat.

A Wilkes county cow has a horn about six inches long on her left hind leg.

Track on the W. N. C. R. R. has been laid to within five miles of Murphy, and it will be finished in a few weeks.

Rowan county has not had an ex-sheriff for fifty years, every sheriff for that period having died in office.—Statesville Landmark.

A nugget of gold weighing nine pounds was shipped from the Haile gold mine in South Carolina this week. It is valued at \$9,500.—Concord Times.

Iredell county Alliance re-elected Mr. J. B. Holman as President. If there is a better man in North Carolina, the CHRONICLE does not know him.

In response to repeated inquiry on the subject, Dr. McIlhenny, of the Rockingham Drug Company, states that he is expecting his chewing gum plant by the beginning of next month, and soon thereafter will be able to supply the increasing demand for the luscious quid.—Rockingham Rocket.

The remains of a new-born babe were found tied up in a bag in the Eno river near town Tuesday by some boys while bathing. Sheriff Hughes was sent for and took charge of the remains. The Sheriff said that the head was missing and the body so much decomposed as to make it impossible to tell whether it was white or colored. Coroner Jordan was notified. He did not think it necessary to hold an inquest, and the remains were buried.—Hillsboro Observer.

A LAD DROWNED.
Lawson Dobbins' Tragic Death in Broad River.

(Shelby Aurora.)
Lawson Dobbins, son of Dillard P. Dobbins, was drowned Saturday night while seining in Broad river at Simmons' fishing ground in Cleveland county. He and father, A. Monroe Lovelace and others were seining when he stepped into a deep place, unexpectedly sank and was drowned in deep water. His comrades and two of K. Wilkie's sons dived for him and brought him out of the river to the land and tried in vain to resuscitate him. Water gushed from his mouth, but all efforts to revive him failed. He was under water over ten minutes.

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